

A SUMMARY OF KANSAS EVENTS.

Population of Kansas Cities.

The state board of agriculture has completed the compilation of assessors' and county clerks' returns for 1900, and among other things they show that Kansas has 111 cities and towns with 1,000 inhabitants or more. Seventy-two municipalities belonging to this list have increased during the year 1900, the largest being far with a gain of 5,368, more than doubling last year's population. Cities with a gain of 243: Lyndon, 163; Smith Center, 134; Downs, 87; Goodland, 41, and LaCygne, 21, have become eligible to this list during the past 12 months, while Medicine Lodge, Strong City, Wilson and Oskaloosa have fallen below the 1,000 mark. Next to Galena some of the cities making the largest gain are Iola, 2,041; Wichita, 1,760; Kansas City, 1,613; Topeka, 1,417, and Independence, 1,126. The following table gives the cities and towns having 1,000 or more inhabitants, in the order of their rank, and the population of each:

Rank.	Name.	Pop.	Rank.	Name.	Pop.
1	Kansas City	47,941	57	Bonora	1,352
2	Topeka	26,782	58	Marion	1,350
3	Wichita	21,798	59	Wamego	1,349
4	Leavenworth	21,256	60	Caldwell	1,348
5	Atchison	16,617	61	Scammon	1,302
6	Pittsburg	12,381	62	Sabetha	1,279
7	Lawrence	11,426	63	Minneapolis	1,262
8	Port Scott	10,873	64	Herington	1,262
9	Galena	10,511	65	Frontenac	1,253
10	Hutchinson	9,155	66	Humboldt	1,251
11	Emporia	8,789	67	Frederick	1,229
12	Parsons	8,708	68	Lyons	1,221
13	Ottawa	7,459	69	Elsworth	1,203
14	Ark. City	7,123	70	Peabody	1,187
15	Salina	6,503	71	Neodesha	1,180
16	Newton	6,477	72	Vates Center	1,163
17	Iola	6,152	73	Larned	1,158
18	Winfield	6,089	74	Garden City	1,154
19	Argentine	5,803	75	Burlington	1,151
20	Junetta	5,181	76	Blacker Spgs	1,139
21	Independence	5,228	77	Washington	1,132
22	Coffeyville	5,048	78	Lindsborg	1,129
23	Chanute	4,900	79	Cherokee	1,122
24	Wellington	4,516	80	St. Marys	1,123
25	Clay Center	4,217	81	Pleasanton	1,116
26	Concordia	3,729	82	Hays City	1,101
27	Abilene	3,720	83	Erie	1,088
28	El Dorado	3,669	84	Bedford	1,088
29	Cherryvale	3,528	85	Clayton	1,085
30	Horton	3,501	86	Augusta	1,084
31	Olathe	3,415	87	Anthony	1,081
32	Holton	3,389	88	Pratt	1,186
33	Paola	3,274	89	Harper	1,160
34	Osawatomie	3,201	90	Frankfort	1,133
35	Manhattan	3,215	91	Florence	1,131
36	McPherson	3,201	92	Osborne	1,118
37	Weir City	3,091	93	Russell	1,106
38	Hiawatha	2,926	94	Baldwin	1,092
39	Osage City	2,866	95	Norton	1,089
40	Girard	2,799	96	Howard	1,091
41	Rosedale	2,729	97	Blue Rapids	1,086
42	Great Bend	2,729	98	Lyndon	1,077
43	Council Grove	2,485	99	Valley Falls	1,073
44	Dodge City	2,433	100	Scranton	1,067
45	Columbus	2,410	101	Smith Center	1,061
46	Burlington	2,398	102	Downs	1,048
47	Beloit	2,371	103	Nickerson	1,029
48	Empire City	2,245	104	Alma	1,028
49	Oswego	2,206	105	Caney	1,027
50	Eureka	2,193	106	Phillipsburg	1,019
51	Garnett	2,118	107	Enterprise	1,018
52	Marysville	2,077	108	La Cygne	1,015
53	Kingman	2,009	109	St. Paul	1,013
54	Sterling	2,001	110	Ellis	1,008
55	Belleville	2,001	111	Goodland	1,002
56	Chetopa	1,909			

Must Accept Old Books.

A ruling has been made by Superintendent Nelson that under the text book uniformity law, contracting firms are compelled to accept all school books that have been used within six months in exchange. The contention was whether the cover and leaves must all be intact. Mr. Nelson held that such was not necessary. It is provided that books now in use shall be exchanged for new ones at not more than 50 per cent. of the maximum prices at which the books were adopted. Provision is also made that the counties operating under the uniformity contract shall, at the expiration of that contract, be entitled to the exchange privilege.

New Officers for the Board.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary board, which has been in session at Kansas City, elected the following officers: President, Mrs. M. D. Jones, of Topeka; vice president, Mrs. R. B. Perkins, of Hutchinson; recording secretary, Mrs. J. S. Rollins, of Olathe; corresponding secretary, Miss Cora Waltham, of Hiawatha; treasurer, Mrs. Anna Harris, of Leavenworth. The next meeting will be held at Olathe.

Kaffir Corn as a Meat Producer.

"Experiments have shown," says the Kansas Farmer, "that the average production of meat from feeding an acre of Kaffir corn exceeds that produced from feeding an acre of Indian corn. Kaffir corn is a good drought-resister, almost a never-failing crop in a large part of Kansas."

The Night Caneed His Death.

Harry Moore, a member of the democratic county committee and proprietor of the Moore printing plant at Wichita, witnessed a street brawl and it so excited him that he was immediately taken ill and died from its effects.

Few State Senators Renominated.

So far only five members of the present state senate have been renominated, and the lists are nearly full. Four of the five are from the Third congressional district—Ryan, Householder, Helmick and King.

Lieut. Carroll Goes to China.

Edwin E. Carroll, a lieutenant in the First United States Infantry, has gone to China. He is a son of Gen. Henry Carroll, formerly stationed at Fort Riley. Lieut. Carroll has been for many months at the post at Fort Leavenworth. He was educated at the university of Kansas.

Lawrence Merchant Accuses.

J. A. Daily, one of the oldest quackware dealers in Lawrence, made an assignment to J. C. Watts. No schedule of liabilities has been filed, but they are said to be large.

For Conduct Unbecoming a Churchman.

At a special meeting of the Wichita presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, held at Wellington, the presbytery voted to depose the Rev. M. S. Mayne, late synodical evangelist, for conduct unbecoming a Christian minister.

In the Hands of a Receiver.

Judge Hazen, of the district court at Topeka, appointed Samuel Howe receiver for the Mutual Building and Loan association, which was recently pronounced by Commissioner Birdenthal to be in a failing condition.

Medals for the Twentieth Kansas Boys.

The movement started by the Kansas Grand Army of the Republic last October to present to each soldier and family of a dead soldier of the Twentieth Kansas volunteers with a medal of honor culminated at Leavenworth when each member of company C was given a trophy. The medals were made from a Spanish cannon captured by the American soldiers in the Philippines. It was procured from the war department by the aid of Gov. Stanley and Col. Metcalf, of the Twentieth Kansas. It required about \$2,500 to have these medals made, and a good part of this money was subscribed by members of the Kansas Grand Army posts. The medals are of bronze and on the face side contain the coat of arms of the United States. In the center of the medal is a sunflower, the emblem of Kansas, the figure 8, the army corps of the Twentieth Kansas, and the names of the eight principal battles of the regiment. On the reverse side the inscription: "By the Patriotic People of Kansas, Presented Through the Department of Kansas, G. A. R., 1900." The name and rank of each soldier is engraved on the medal for him.

Galloway Allowed His Salary.

The case of Homer Galloway against A. E. McKenzie, state grain inspector, for salary from April, 1899, to the present time at \$50 per month for services as assistant grain inspector, has been decided at Topeka by Judge Hazen in favor of Galloway and McKenzie was ordered to issue the vouchers for Galloway's salary. Galloway was appointed a local grain inspector for Topeka, but his services were not satisfactory and he was not allowed to serve. He has since held himself in readiness for work. The court decided that as Gov. Stanley appointed him upon the recommendation of McKenzie, only the governor could discharge him.

No Fortune for Rev. James.

S. J. Osborn, speaker of the Kansas house of representatives, who was sent to England a few weeks ago by the trustees of the Kansas Wesleyan university to learn what had become of Rev. T. H. James, who had gone to Liverpool to claim a supposed fortune of \$200,000, has returned to Salina. It will be remembered that Rev. Mr. James returned home two days after Mr. Osborn sailed. Judge Osborn found no fortune in Liverpool, and if there has ever been one it has passed to the other branches of the family. He believes that James was duped and probably drugged while in Liverpool.

He Fought Against Spain.

The remains of Fred Lemon, who was accidentally drowned in St. Louis while bathing, were buried in Olathe. The deceased was 25 years old and the son of Dr. W. H. Lemon, of Olathe. He enlisted in the Spanish-American war at the beginning of the trouble, entering in the navy, and displayed unexcelled bravery while on the battleship Hawk. He was wounded in the battle at Santiago.

Fanatics Indorse Col. Little.

The populists and democrats of Dickinson county, in convention at Abilene, indorsed Lieut. Col. Little for United States senator. Col. Little made his first campaign speech, devoting it to the Philippine campaign. He took the position that, as treaties were made with some tribes of the Philippine archipelago, so should they have been made with all tribes, and thus avoided fighting.

A Kansas Wounded at Yang Tsun.

Clinton W. Graham, company D, Fourteenth infantry, who was reported wounded at Yang Tsun, China, is a son of Col. James Graham, of St. Marys, colonel of the Twenty-second Kansas regiment, United States volunteers. Young Graham was a newspaper man of Pottawatomie county. Three years ago he enlisted. He went to the Philippines about a year ago.

Reported Murdered by the Boxers.

Word has been received in Atchison of the death of Myron C. Wilcox, his wife and five children at the hands of Boxers in China. Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox had been doing missionary work in China for many years. Three years ago Mr. Wilcox lectured throughout Kansas and was a man of eloquence. He has relatives living at Aime, a small village near Atchison.

Landers Back in Jail.

George R. Landers has been landed in the Wyandotte county jail for the second time by Sheriff Mendenhall to answer for alleged embezzlement from the Evans, Snider, Ruell Live Stock Commission company. He was apprehended at El Paso, Tex., to which place he went after being released on bond.

Senator Ingalls Carried Life Insurance.

John J. Ingalls carried two life insurance policies of \$10,000 each. They were both taken out in 1893, and are 15-payment policies. Had Mr. Ingalls lived until December 23 the time for the settlement of the policies would have arrived. It is believed that the two policies referred to are all the life insurance he carried.

Iola Failed to Halve the House.

Cherryvale has secured the glass factory for which Iola was striving, but failed to get by not producing the required bonus.

F. W. Close Nominated.

After 13 days of hopeless deadlock the judicial convention at Concordia suddenly ended by Washington and Republic counties casting lots. Republic won, and Washington cast its vote for F. W. Close, of Belleville, which nominated him.

The Place of Bryan's Notification.

The populist notification to Mr. Bryan of his nomination for the presidency will take place on the east steps of the state house at Topeka at a late hour on the afternoon of Thursday, August 23.

THE GENERAL MARKETS.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 22.	
CATTLE—Beef steers	4.45 @ 5.25
Native stockers	4.00 @ 4.35
Texas and Indian steers	2.65 @ 3.25
HOGS	3.00 @ 3.20
SHEEP	3.00 @ 3.75
WHEAT—No. 2 hard	62 1/2 @ 63
No. 2 red	62 1/2 @ 63
CORN—No. 2 mixed	35 1/2 @ 37
RYE—No. 2	46 @ 47
Soft wheat patents	5.50 @ 5.75
Flour—Hard wheat patents	5.50 @ 5.75
Timothy	5.50 @ 5.75
Prairie	5.75 @ 6.00
BRAN—Sacked	15 @ 16
BUTTER—Extra to fancy	8 @ 10
CHEESE—Full cream	8 @ 10
EGGS	12 @ 13
POTATOES—Home grown	20 @ 25

ST. LOUIS.

CATTLE—Native steers	3.90 @ 5.00
Texas and Indian steers	3.40 @ 4.40
HOGS—Packers	5.30 @ 5.40
SHEEP—Native muttons	4.00 @ 4.25
Flour—Patents	4.45 @ 4.75
WHEAT—No. 2 red	62 1/2 @ 63
CORN—No. 2	35 @ 40 1/2
OATS—No. 2	21 @ 22
RYE	45 @ 47
BUTTER—Fair	15 @ 17
DRY SALT MEATS	7 1/2 @ 7 3/4
BACON	8.00 @ 8.25

CHICAGO.

CATTLE—Mixed and butchers	4.70 @ 6.00
HOGS—Mixed and butchers	4.35 @ 5.25
SHEEP—Western	3.20 @ 4.00
Flour—Spring patents	5.50 @ 6.00
WHEAT—No. 2 red	72 1/2 @ 74
CORN—No. 2	22 1/2 @ 23
OATS—No. 2	21 @ 22
RYE—August	48 @ 49
LARD—September	6.95 @ 7.02 1/2
PORK—September	10.90 @ 11.10

NEW YORK.

CATTLE—Steers	4.00 @ 5.50
HOGS	5.00 @ 5.50
SHEEP	3.75 @ 4.25
WHEAT—No. 2 red	72 1/2 @ 73 1/2
CORN—No. 2	45 @ 49
OATS	25 @ 26

A great bar to education is the habit that ignorant people have of getting angry when they cannot understand.—Town Topics.

THE FAT MAN'S LITTLE JOKE.

He Sprung It on the Steamboat Captain and Got His Large Party Aboard.

A Coney Island excursion steamer was leaving New York with but few passengers aboard. The boat had just cast off, says the Sun, when a stout man with a very red face rushed down the pier, and flourishing his stick, shouted: "Hey, captain! Put back—back her quick. Here's a large party wants to go."

The captain was at first derisive, but finally shouted from the pilot house: "How large is the party?"

For an instant the fat man hesitated, then he yelled back: "Between 60 and 70."

As soon as the captain heard this number he instantly ordered the steamer back and made fast again. The fat man waddled across the gangplank, and, picking out a nice deck seat, fanned himself with his straw hat. Meanwhile the captain and his crew waited for the party to arrive. After waiting five minutes and more, the captain turned impatiently toward the stout man and asked: "Where's your party between 60 and 70? This boat can't wait all day for them."

"Oh, that's all right," replied the fat passenger, with a bland smile. "I'm the party—45 to-day, sir."

The captain's face grew redder even than the passenger's as he furiously rang the bell to steam ahead, but the fat man at once became the hero of the boat.

The Boxers of China.

are attempting to solve a gigantic problem, but they are going about it in the wrong way and will never succeed. Some people, in this country, seem to think that they have as great a puzzle on their hands in selecting a location for a house. They will certainly go about it in the wrong way unless they inspect the beautiful farming country on the line of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway in Marinette county, Wisconsin, where the crops are of the best, work plenty, fine markets, excellent climate, pure, soft water; land sold cheap and on long time. Why rent a farm when you can buy one for less than you pay for rent? Address C. E. Rollins, Land Agent, 161 La Salle St., Chicago, Ill.

Another Chinese Outbreak.

"Yes," the witness declared, "I could give further evidence against the prisoner, but, as Kipling says, 'that's another.'"

"Never mind what Kipling says," interrupted the magistrate; "the Chinese can testify for himself when his turn comes."—New Jersey Law Journal.

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